



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Jean Francois MICHELET et al.

Serial No.: 09/917,274

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For:

USE, IN COSMETIC PREPARATIONS, OF
PROSTAGLANDIN EP-3 RECEPTOR
AGONISTS TO ATTENUATE, REDUCE OR
STOP THE GROWTH OF HEAD HAIR AND
OTHER HAIRS

Art Unit: 1617

Examiner: Yu, Gina C.

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Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed
October 2, 2002.

AMENDMENT

In the claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently amended) A method for attenuating,
reducing or stopping the growth of hair on a subject which
comprises [using] administering at least one prostaglandin EP-3
receptor agonist to the subject.

2. (Previously amended) The method according to